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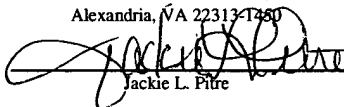
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Title: COMPACT VARIABLE  
PATH EXERCISE  
APPARATUS WITH A  
RELATIVELY LONG  
CAM SURFACE

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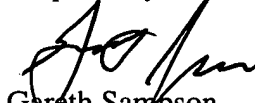
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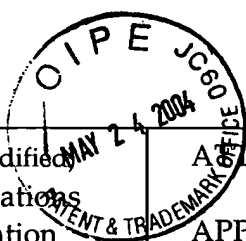
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